

**EFFECTIVE**

January 1, 2020.

**Subject(s)****Annual Asset Limit Increase****BEM 400**

The annual increase in countable asset limits for the Medicare Savings Program have been updated. The new limits are: \$7860 for an individual and \$11,800 for a couple.

**Correction to the Maximim community spouse maintenance allowance****BEM 400**

The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services has revised the increase to the maximum community spouse maintenance allowance (maximum allowance) used in the calculation of the Post Eligibility Patient Pay Amount. It is corrected to \$3216.00 effective January 1, 2020.

**MANUAL  
MAINTENANCE  
INSTRUCTIONS**

**Changed Items ...**

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